-Pledge of Allegiance

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-Approved the minutes of the regular meeting on October 19, 2009.

### **AWARDS AND PROCLAMATIONS**

### Perfect Attendance Awards

• People with perfect attendance so far are:

Marysol Alvidrez

Lena Chang

Marissa Neises

Nicole Nunes

**Drew Papadelis** 

**Tevin Pratt** 

Kelly VanCleave

**Brook Williams** 

## **PUBLIC AGENDA**

- Wichita Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategy (WRAPS)
  - They educate people about the water system and the rivers.
  - Becky Lewis spoke, educated us on how Wichita is a watershed.
  - She showed us many pictures of how many lakes and ponds in Wichita are polluted.
  - Also the importance of how we need to take care of our water systems.
  - There will be things available to volunteer for.
  - They helped out with Lake Cheney and other Lakes in our area.

#### **COUNCIL BUSINESS**

# **UNFINISHED COUNCIL BUSINESS**

#### **NEW COUNCIL BUSINESS**

- Drew spoke on changing the Legislative Agenda Item.
  - We voted by ballot, the motion carries 22 in favor to 6 opposed.

Drew and Leslie gave presentation on NLC in San Antonio, TX.

- They had multiple workshops they attended with elected officials and other youth.
- They brought back an interesting concept of Youth Court (e.g.: if you speed and are a first time offender you could exercise the motion of Youth Court where you could plead guilty but get sentenced a certain amount of community service hours instead of getting a ticket and insurance going up).

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They were there for 3 days.

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- They also shared some interesting stories from when they were there.
  - Emily spoke on Grievance and Confidentiality Policies.
- Required per the Liquor Tax Grant.
- They are going to be in the by-laws in the future.
- We all had to sign off stating we received a copy.
  - Drew spoke on Night with Santa Event, December 3.
- Basically a big fun night, there are 5,000 families in attendance usually.
- Reception from 4:00 6:00 PM at the Broadview Hotel, Carnival from 6:00 to 9:00 PM at Century II.
- Sign up sheet was sent around.
  - Emily spoke on Ice Skating Event, December 12.
- The Social & Special Projects committee plans to partner with Catholic Cities Harbor House to bring other youth to the event.
- Time is TBD, sign up sheet was sent around.
  - Nicole Nunes, Career Preparation Chair, spoke on Career Preparation Newsletter.
- They made a newsletter aimed at college bound Juniors and Seniors.
- They plan to distribute to all the schools, will need help from Council on distribution. Will address distribution at next Council meeting.
  - Marisol Alvidrez, Academic Achievement Committee Member, spoke on Book Drive idea.
- Sometime in January and February
- Looking to collect at major Basketball Games and sporting events, please let committee know of games you think they should target.

- > William Hutton, Fundraising Chair, gave Garage Sale totals.
- Raised right around \$200.00 at the Garage Sale.
- Left over items were donated to the Salvation Army.

# Final Announcements:

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Reminder, Legislative Agenda Ad Hoc Meeting will be 11/17/09 at 7:30 PM at the RPC. Adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

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